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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Attorney Docket No. 42390P12804

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

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See 37 CFR 1.27.
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9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney  
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106	206	330	Design filing fee	
107	207	510	Plant filing fee	
108	208	740	Reissue filing fee	
114	214	160	Provisional filing fee	
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Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
25	-20** = 5	X \$18.00 =	90.00
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### Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20	
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3	
104	280	204	140	Multiple Dependent claim	
109	84	209	42	**Reissue independent claims over original patent	
110	18	210	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
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105	205	130	65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	227	50	25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
139	139	130	130 Non-English specification	
147	147	2,520	2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	112	920*	920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	113	1,840*	1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	215	110	55 Extension for response within first month	
116	216	400	200 Extension for response within second month	
117	217	920	460 Extension for response within third month	
118	218	1,440	720 Extension for response within fourth month	
128	228	1,960	980 Extension for response within fifth month	
119	219	320	160 Notice of Appeal	
120	220	320	160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	221	280	140 Request for oral hearing	
138	138	1,510	1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	240	110	55 Petition to revive - unavoidably	
141	241	1,280	640 Petition to revive - unintentionally	
142	242	1,280	640 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	243	460	230 Design issue fee	
144	244	620	310 Plant issue fee	
122	122	130	130 Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	123	50	50 Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	126	180	180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	581	40	40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	246	740	370 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149	249	740	370 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
179	279	740	370 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	169	900	900 Request for expedited examination of a design application	

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**TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

Sir:

Enclosed herewith for filing in the above-identified U.S. Patent Application are the formal drawings, 2 sheets including 2 Figures. Applicant hereby authorizes any additional extension or petition fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.17 or credit for any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal sheet is enclosed.

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